

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Thursday Partly Cloudy
and Occasionally Threatening

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	99 1/2c
Copper	23 1/2c
Lead	7 1/10c
Quicksilver	\$118@120

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GERMANS MAY BE POCKETED

FRENCH MENACE ALL GAINS MADE RECENTLY BY ENEMY

TODAY MAY
TELL WHO
WILL WINFRENCH CRITIC SAYS PRESENT
BATTLE IS NEARING
A CRISIS

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, June 12.—Henry Bidou, the military critic, reviewing the situation, said today's fighting may decide on which side victory will rest in the present battle. He said the French, by counter attacking, stopped the enemy from carrying out his plan and at the same time assured themselves of a better line of defense. He believed the Germans will now be obliged to keep their effectiveness on the firing line and dip into the reserves for fresh divisions.

REICHSTAG TOLD
FOCH DEFEATED

(By Associated Press.)
AMSTERDAM, June 12.—The Prussian war minister, Von Stein, in a Reichstag speech, according to Berlin advices, said: "The great part of the French army has been beaten. The so-called Foch reserves no longer exist. The success of the crown prince's carefully prepared attacks inflicted one of the gravest defeats the entente ever suffered."
He said: "The enemy suffered enormous losses of materials and equipment, besides losses of men. Immense stores of ammunition headed along the lines of communication behind the front of the defeated French army likewise fell into our hands just as previously we captured enormous stores from the British army."

TREATY DISCUSSION
TO REMAIN SEALED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 12.—The president's disapproval today killed the senate proposal for an open discussion of treaties. The senators rejected by a vote of 60 to 23 the Borah amendment to the Underwood resolution curtailing senate debate during the war.
Senator Borah proposed public consideration of treaties. The president interpreted his "open diplomacy" statement made before congress January to refer to the publication of treaties after ratification. He said he had no particular reference to the prevalent practice in Europe of keeping treaties secret until after ratification.

MORE TIME FOR ALL
SHORT LINE ROADS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 12.—Secretary McAdoo asked congress today to extend until January 1 next the time when the government may take over the short line railroads. The time at present is fixed at July 1. Chairman Smith, of the senate interstate commerce committee, prepared a resolution embodying the request.

Ship Destruction
and Construction

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 12.—The destruction since May 25 of ten American ships totalling 26,000 tons by submarines off the Atlantic coast has been paralleled by the production in the United States of twenty-one vessels of 130,642 tons.

LOTS OF LUXURY
IN PROVIDING FOR
RAILROAD WANTSPOLICY OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN MAKING EXPENDITURES
DURING THE YEAR

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 12.—In announcing today the classified items of \$946,293,000 railway capital expenditure in the budget for this year, the railroad administration disclosed that it would pursue a liberal policy in the construction of new switch tracks, industrial sidings, shop buildings and freight stations at the terminals, but will cut expenditures for new passenger depots, office buildings and other enterprises not contributing immediately to war demands.

BERT GIBBONS WILL
DELIVER ORATION

A. L. Gibbons, the well known local luminary of Reno, has consented to deliver the oration on "The Flag" at the celebration of the anniversary next Friday night at Elks hall under the auspices of that order. The exercises will be open and a general and hearty invitation is extended to every patriotic citizen to turn out.
The orator has the distinction of having been the first man whose name was entered on the list of candidates when it was first proposed to establish an Elks lodge in Tonopah. This made his a charter member and member No. 1, and he also ranks as the first exalted ruler of this lodge. The ties that bind Bert Gibbons to Tonopah lodge are manifold in consequence of which he could not refuse to speak when invited by his alma mater.

HOTTEST JUNE IN
LOCAL RECORDS

This day equals the hottest record scored at this station for the first half of June by registering 91 degrees at 2 o'clock, which was the maximum for the day. The experience of 90 has occurred only twice in June, once on June 29, 1914, when a maximum of 92 was reached, and once when 91 was reported on June 29, 1909, but both instances were in the latter part of the month. So far this week the maximums have been June 10, 90; June 11, 91; June 12, 91. The average yesterday was 80, which occurred only once before in the history of the station.

BELMONT BULLION

The semi-monthly shipment of bullion from the Tonopah Belmont comprised 58 bars weighing 114,967 ounces and valued at \$128,000.

SURPRISES
COMING IN
AIRPLANESLONDON TIMES HINTS THAT IM-
PORTANT DEVELOPMENTS
ARE BREWING

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 12.—A special correspondent of the Times says there will be some surprises on the western front when the American air program is in full working order, in concluding his authorized description of the work of American forces in France.

21 ENEMY PLANES
ARE DESTROYED

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 12.—The British repulsed a German raid at Aveluy Wood. A few Germans were captured during a raid in the Boyelles region. There has been sporadic activity of enemy artillery west of Lens. British airmen operating on the Italian front destroyed 21 enemy airplanes.

FIVE DIVISIONS
AGAINST YANKS

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 12.—A Reuter's correspondent says the Germans used five divisions in an unsuccessful attempt to counter an American thrust northwest of Chateau Thierry. Two were used Tuesday in a fruitless attempt to recapture Bourches.

NO PEACE OFFERINGS

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 12.—An Amsterdam dispatch says that Germany does not intend to make a fresh peace offer with the forthcoming statement of war aims, according to Berlin newspapers.

JAPAN WILL MAKE
HER INTENTIONS PLAIN

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 12.—As a result of recent conferences Japan is preparing a definition of her attitude toward Russia according to a Tientsin dispatch.

SERBS ON THE WAY TO SALONKA
GIVEN A ROUSING SEND-OFF TODAY

The Serbs are off. Off on the long journey to Salonika, after a preliminary dash to Vancouver, where they will be mobilized as part of the legionaries fighting for liberty. Twenty-seven of them were enrolled. More would have been in line had it not been for the action of the Serbian Council of Defense in New York which decreed that no married men should be taken.

Standing at the corner of Brougher avenue and Main street one could not have failed to be impressed by the auspicious beginning of the voyage. Grouped around the civic flagstaff sustaining the matchless ensign of America, the assemblage was a concord of color, fluttering in the

Italians Destroy
a Dreadnaught

(By Associated Press.)
VENICE, June 12.—It is officially announced that Italian torpedo boats attacked an Austrian naval division Monday near the Dalmatians and destroyed one dreadnaught and damaged another.

TWO NORSE SHIPS
SUNK 200 MILES
EAST U. S. COASTSUBMARINE CAPTAIN REMOVES
80 TONS OF COPPER BE-
FORE SINKING

(By Associated Press.)
AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 12.—A Danish steamer brought the crews of two Norwegian ships which were submarined 200 miles east of Cape Charles. The U-boat commander took 80 tons of copper from one of the vessels before sinking.
This makes eighteen vessels the U-boats have destroyed off the American coast. The submarines took the Norwegian crews in tow in small boats, and cut them adrift and submerged when they sighted the Danish steamship.

GERMAN FIREBUGS
AT MARYSVILLEINCENDIARY BLAZES RECEIVE
SERIOUS CONSIDERATION
OF LAW OFFICERS

(By Associated Press.)
MARYSVILLE, Cal., June 12.—The sheriff and district attorney of Yuba county are investigating the causes of three fires that broke out in Marysville during the last 24 hours. The district attorney has also ordered that Peter Diana be held in connection with the investigation of a fire that destroyed 40 acres of barley eight miles south of here.

Two fires today damaged an unoccupied woolen mills building, an old toll house and the Yuba river bridge. John Nelson, said to be a Redding draft registrant, is held pending investigation of the report that he was seen leaving the woolen mill before the outbreak of the fire.

(By Associated Press.)
SACRAMENTO, June 12.—Four reserve military aviators made their first flight late yesterday from Mather field and two flew over Sacramento today.

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was an artistic inspiration as the green and white of Italy, the orange, black and red of Belgium, the tricolor of France, the deep red and blue tones of the Union Jack of England and the blue, red and white of Serbia mingled affectionately in brotherly embrace with the one flag under which all nations find equality, as fitful puffs of air spread the silken folds and blended the colors in an ensemble typifying harmony and unity.

The picture was thrilling, but not more so than the titanic diapason chorused by the mine sirens and whistles which rent the air and shattered the desert silence as the train

DESPERATE FIGHTING REPORTED
IN EVERY DIRECTION BETWEEN
THE MATZ AND OISE SECTORS

(By Associated Press.)
In driving back the Germans on the left, the French menace all enemy gains. If continued the advance of the Germans is in danger of being caught in a pocket of hills between the Matz and Oise.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, June 12.—There is no great change in the situation although the battle continued last night between Montdidier and the Oise. The French left made additional progress in the region east of Mery and Genlis Wood. Violent German attacks were

SOCIAL DUTIES OCCUPY MASONIC
BODIES IN TONOPAH THIS EVENING

The Order of the Eastern Star will begin its sessions tomorrow evening with a reception to the Masonic brethren and the Eastern Star in honor of the grand officers of the latter organization. This reception will be held at 8:30 in Masonic hall, where the ladies have supplemented their lodge room with an attractively arranged rest room on the ground floor. This retreat has been furnished with every conceivable appointment that would contribute to the comfort and pleasure of the guests by furnishing them with a delightfully cool parlor where they may write letters, read the latest magazines or newspapers or indulge in the luxury of an afternoon nap. The parlor has a most appealing appearance from the cool tan colored walls to the deep luxurious leather couch opposite the entrance and the current of cool air kept in constant circulation by several electric fans. Opposite the entrance is a library table with writing materials and to the right of the main entrance is another table for general use. Rocking chairs upholstered in leather and Morris chairs whose depth are tempting are interspersed with plate glass mirrors at several points breaking the wall space. Flowering plants on a taboret and disposed around the rooms impart a further air of cheer and homely appearance that elicited the warmest praise from the visitors.
The great social event of the session occurs this evening in the open and formal reception extended the

repulsed near the center along the Aronde front in the region of Maur, Loge Farm and Antheuil.

The Germans were unable to debouch on the south bank of the Matz river, despite repeated efforts. The French are holding that part of the battlefield south of Chevincourt and Mareuil sur Matz.
The Germans attacked today between Soissons and the Marne. Fighting is in progress between the Marne and Villers-Cotterets Forest. Violent combats are being fought on the front of Domiers, Cutry and south of Ambieny.

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grand lodge officers by the Masonic brethren of Tonopah. This will be at the Ardome and it is understood that only a limited number of invitations could be issued owing to the capacity of the hall not being sufficient to accommodate all comers.
The grand lodge F. & A. M. is holding its election this afternoon.

RUSSIAN JEWELS
UNDER U. S. SEAL

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 12.—Investigation of a suspected plot to smuggle the so-called Russian crown jewels into the United States resulted in the detention at Dallas, Texas, of Sillman Evans, former clerk of the American legation at Copenhagen, pending inquiry as to the disposition of a box bearing the legation seal, which he brought into the United States.

(By Associated Press.)
DALLAS, Texas, June 12.—A box bearing the seal was taken from Evans, who is a former Dallas newspaperman. Federal officials have not disclosed the contents.

RIO GRANDE TRAIN
ROLLS IN THE DITCH

(By Associated Press.)
SALT LAKE, June 12.—One was killed and twelve hurt when a Denver and Rio Grande passenger train left the tracks and rolled into a ditch on the outskirts of this city. There were 300 passengers aboard.

KRUGER GUILTY IN
SECOND DEGREE

Betting on a disagreement in the Kruger case was the favorite play around the courthouse this afternoon when the jury which went out last night at 11:30 had failed to reach a verdict. At noon today the jury came in to ask about instructions regarding some of the testimony of the Indian traffickers and at 2 o'clock retired once more. At 2:45 the jury brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree.

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE (Tuesday), June 11.—The allied troops have showed the Germans that they couldn't have all their own way by executing a number of counter attacks which were invariably successful. Important territory was recovered and thousands of German positions made. A thousand Germans were captured.

The principal attack was south of Belloy on a front twelve kilometers. The allied infantry supported by tanks achieved an advance averaging 1500 meters. French troops displayed remarkable courage and willingness to get at the foe who appeared completely disconcerted by their dash. Horses and teams could be seen galloping forward to save guns and some Germans lost their heads completely. The battle ground is literally covered with German dead.

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE (Tuesday), June 11.—American artillery aided the French in their counter attack against the Germans in the southwest, south of Montdidier, by directing a harassing fire against the enemy. Otherwise the Americans have not been engaged in the present battle.

Americans in the sector west of Montdidier, by directing a harassing assist in the fighting at the first opportunity.

Two minor German raids against the Americans Monday night on the Cantigny sector were repulsed.

(By Associated Press.)
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CASUALTY LIST

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THEATRE

TO-NIGHT
The Story of the Greatest
Adventures in the History of
France
THE DA BARA
in
"DU BARRY"
Also—HEARST-PATHE NEWS
with third scenes of the Battle
of Picardy

TOMORROW
"THE JUDGMENT HOUSE"
Paramount Bray Cartoon

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